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Letter to Dr. Robt C. Seamans, Jr., Assoc Admin. NASA, from A. D. Wheelon DDS&T

Recent org realignments within CIA to strengthen our missile and space capabilities have delayed the selection of CIA personnel to serve as points of contact on the CIA Adivsory Panels which were agreed upon in July.

After review of your selection of high level NASA officials to serve and our poss counterparts, I designated officers named on attaimed list to initiate action required to get started.

Relative to formation of these Panels -- I wld like to assure you that the existence of the Director's Space Intel Panel in no way minimizes the importance or effective role of the CIA Advisory Panels (joint with NASA). Director's panel will meet only a few times a year in connection with particular NIE. The CIA/NASA Advisory Panels will perform the function of providing technical assessments on specific subjects which will in turn be reviewed with all other evidence by the Director's

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